NCDOT TO HOLD PUBLIC MEETING FOR THE EAST DURHAM RAIL SAFETY PROJECT DURHAM COUNTY

TIP PROJECT NO. P-5706

The N.C. Department of Transportation will hold a public meeting regarding the East Durham Rail Safety Project which proposes approximately 2.4 miles of railroad improvements and the construction of new bridges carrying Glover Road and Ellis Road over the North Carolina Railroad. The project also proposes the closure of the Wrenn Road railroad crossing.

The meeting will be held on May 22, 2018 at the Hamner Conference Center- Dogwood Room located at 15 T.W. Alexander Drive in Durham from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. The public may attend at any time during the meeting hours.

At the meeting, maps of potential alignments will be available for viewing along with project team members who will discuss the project, answer questions, and provide feedback. Please note there will be no formal presentation. The comments and information received will be taken into consideration as work on the project develops. The opportunity to submit written comments will also be provided at the meeting or can be done via phone, email, or mail by **June 5, 2018**.

As information becomes available, it may be viewed at the NCDOT Public Meeting Website: http://www.ncdot.gov/projects/publicmeetings/.

For additional information please contact Senior Rail Project Development Engineer, Undrea Major, by phone at (919) 707-4726 or by email at <u>ujmajor@ncdot.gov</u> or Consultant Project Manager, Ryan White, P.E., by phone at (919) 865-7374 or by email at <u>ryan.white@stantec.com</u>

NCDOT will provide auxiliary aids and services under the Americans with Disabilities Act for disabled persons who wish to participate in this meeting. Anyone requiring special services should contact Lauren Putnam via email at lnputnam1@ncdot.gov or by phone at (919) 707-6072 as early as possible, so that arrangements can be made.

Persons who speak Spanish and do not speak English, or have a limited ability to read, speak or understand English, may receive interpretive services upon request prior to the meeting by calling 1-800-481-6494.

Aquellas personas que hablan español y no hablan inglés, o tienen limitaciones para leer, hablar o entender inglés, podrían recibir servicios de interpretación si los solicitan antes de la reunión llamando al 1-800-481-6494.